#### **SECTION 04 05 16**

### MASONRY GROUTING

# PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 DESCRIPTION:

A. Section specifies grout materials and mixes.

#### 1.2 RELATED WORK:

- A. Grout used in Section:
  - 1. Section 04 20 00, UNIT MASONRY.

#### 1.3 TESTS:

- A. Test grout and materials specified.
- B. Certified test reports.
- C. Identify materials by type, brand name and manufacturer or by origin.
- D. Do not use materials until laboratory test reports are approved by Resident Engineer.
- E. After tests have been made and materials approved, do not change without additional test and approval of Resident Engineer.

## F. Testing:

1. Test materials proposed for use for compliance with specifications in accordance with test methods contained in referenced specifications and as follows:

# 2. Grout:

- a. Test for compressive strength; ASTM C1019.
- b. Grout compressive strength of 13790 kPa (2000 psi) at 28 days.

#### 3. Cement:

- a. Test for water soluble alkali (nonstaining) when nonstaining cement is specified.
- b. Nonstaining cement shall contain not more than 0.03 percent water soluble alkali.
- 4. Sand: Test for deleterious substances, organic impurities, soundness and grading.

### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

A. Submit in accordance with Section 01 33 23, SHOP DRAWINGS, PRODUCT DATA, AND SAMPLES.

#### B. Certificates:

- 1. Indicating that following items meet specifications:
  - a. Portland cement.
  - b. Masonry cement.
  - c. Grout.
  - d. Hydrated lime.
  - e. Fine aggregate (sand).
  - f. Coarse aggregate for grout.
  - g. Color admixture.

#### C. Laboratory Test Reports:

- 1. Grout, each type.
- 2. Admixtures.
- D. Manufacturer's Literature and Data:
  - 1. Cement, each kind.
  - 2. Hydrated lime.
  - 3. Admixtures.
  - 4. Liquid acrylic resin.

#### 1.5 PRODUCT DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING:

- A. Deliver masonry materials in original sealed containers marked with name of manufacturer and identification of contents.
- B. Store masonry materials under waterproof covers on planking clear of ground, and protect damage from handling, dirt, stain, water and wind.

#### 1.6 APPLICABLE PUBLICATIONS:

- A. Publications listed below form a part of specification to extent referenced. Publications are referenced in text by basic designation only.
- B. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM):
  - 1. C40-04 Organic Impurities in Fine Aggregates for Concrete
  - 2. C91-05 Masonry Cement
  - 3. C150-05 Portland Cement
  - 4. C207-06 Hydrated Lime for Masonry Purposes
  - 5. C404-07 Aggregate for Masonry Grout
  - 6. C476-07 Grout for Masonry
  - 7. C595-08 Blended Hydraulic Cement
  - 8. C979-05 Pigments for Integrally Colored Concrete
  - 9. C1019-05 Sampling and Testing Grout

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 HYDRATED LIME:

A. ASTM C207, Type S.

#### 2.2 AGGREGATE FOR MASONRY GROUT:

A. ASTM C404, Size 8.

#### 2.3 BLENDED HYDRAULIC CEMENT:

A. ASTM C595, Type IS, IP.

#### 2.4 PORTLAND CEMENT:

- A. ASTM C150, Type I.
- B. Use white Portland cement wherever white mortar is specified.

### 2.5 LIQUID ACRYLIC RESIN:

A. A formulation of acrylic polymers and modifiers in liquid form designed for use as an additive for mortar to improve physical properties.

#### 2.6 WATER:

A. Potable, free of substances that are detrimental to grout, masonry, and metal.

## 2.7 GROUT:

- A. Conform to ASTM C476 except as specified.
- B. Grout type proportioned by volume as follows:
  - 1. Fine Grout:
    - a. Portland cement or blended hydraulic cement: one part.
    - b. Hydrated lime: 0 to 1/10 part.
    - c. Fine aggregate: 2-1/4 to 3 times sum of volumes of cement and lime used.

### 2. Coarse Grout:

- a. Portland cement or blended hydraulic cement: one part.
- b. Hydrated lime: 0 to 1/10 part.
- c. Fine aggregate: 2-1/4 to 3 times sum of volumes of cement and lime used.
- d. Coarse aggregate: 1 to 2 times sum of volumes of cement and lime used.
- 3. Sum of volumes of fine and coarse aggregates: Do not exceed 4 times sum of volumes of cement and lime used.

#### 2.8 COLOR ADMIXTURE:

- A. Pigments: ASTM C979.
- B. Use mineral pigments only. Organic pigments are not acceptable.
- C. Pigments inert, stable to atmospheric conditions, nonfading, alkali resistant and water insoluble.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

# 3.1 MIXING:

- A. Mix in a mechanically operated grout mixer.
  - 1. Mix grout for at least five minutes.
- B. Measure ingredients by volume. Measure by the use of a container of known capacity.
- C. Mix water with grout dry ingredients in sufficient amount to bring grout mixture to a pouring consistency.

#### 3.2 GROUT USE LOCATIONS:

- A. Use fine grout for filling wall cavities and cells of concrete masonry units where the smallest dimension is 50 mm (2 inches) or less.
- B. Use either fine grout or coarse grout for filling wall cavities and cells of concrete masonry units where the smallest dimension is greater than 50 mm (2 inches).
- C. Do not use grout for filling bond beam or lintel units.

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